

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-159 without prejudice or disclaimer to their underlying subject matter; and

Please add claims 160-161 as follows.

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Claims 1-159 (Canceled).

160. (New) A method for producing a web of tissue, in which the web of tissue is led over at least one drying cylinder, doctored off the latter with a creping doctor and then wound up by means of a winding device, wherein the web of tissue is supported at least largely over the entire distance between creping doctor and winding device on one side by a transfer means, so that there is only a short free web draw, while its other side is free.

161. (New) A device that produces a web of tissue, comprising at least one drying cylinder, a creping doctor arranged on the drying cylinder and a winding device that winds up the web of tissue wherein between the creping doctor and winding device, a transfer means that at least largely bridges the entire distance is provided which supports the web of tissue on one side, so that there is a short free web draw, but leaves its other side free.